

[7 March, 2007]

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body of the sixth person was handed over by Police Station Pattan to his relatives. Two of the dead bodies have been identified as that of civilians on the basis of a positive DNA report from CFSL Chandigarh.

A special investigation team headed by a DIG rank officer has been constituted by the State Government of Jammu and Kashmir to look into the allegations. Seven police personnel have been arrested so far including one SSP and Dy. S.P. A judicial probe has also been announced by the State Government.

**HIV infected inmates in Tihar Jail**

933. SHRI GIREESH KUMAR SANGHI:  
SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that number of HIV infected inmates has gone up in Tihar Central Jail; if so, the year-wise details thereon for the last five years;

(b) whether certain HIV infected inmates have deliberately spread the infection; and

(c) what steps are being taken to isolate such cases, in the interest of other inmates and jail staff?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. REGUPATHY): (a) Yes, Sir. The information as on 31st December of last five years is as under:

Year	Number of HIV infected inmates
2002	12
2003	14
2004	20
2005	16
2006	36

(b) No such instance has come to notice.

(c) In order to prevent HIV infected inmates deliberately spreading the infection to other inmates and jail staff, a number of steps have been taken by the Jail Administration which include the following:

- (i) All prisoners admitted in the jails are medically screened to ascertain history of infections and addictions, if any.
- (ii) Suspected HIV prisoners are referred to super speciality hospitals for their clinical examination and advice.
- (iii) Anti retroviral treatment is provided to the infected prisoners on the advice of the specialist doctors.
- (iv) Regular health screening camps are held in the jail to rule out any possibility of spread of infection to others.
- (v) Strict vigilance and surveillance on the movements of HIV infected prisoners is kept.

#### **Infiltration into India from Pakistan**

† 934. SHRI RAM JETHMALANI:  
DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact incidents of infiltration in India continued constantly during the year 2006, due to instigation by Pakistan;

(b) if so, the facts in this regard and whether Government have placed concrete evidence of such incidents before Pakistan; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. REGUPATHY): (a) to (c) During the year 2006, incidents of infiltration on Indo-Pak border have been reported on International Border

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† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.